

17 August 1953

MEMORANDUM FOR: Colonel White

The attached was referred here, in response to our instructions that Personnel comments on pending legislative proposals be routed to the General Counsel through the DD/A Office. The instant legislative proposal would provide sixty days of maternity leave with pay to pregnant female employees, regardless of such additional annual and sick leave as they may have. Consistent with general private business practice, and in view of the relatively liberal sick leave in the Federal service, recommend you sign and forward the Personnel memo which suggests that the Agency refrain from supporting this bill.

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